HENRICO COUNTY IS MUCH STIRRED

Tax-Payers of the County Complain of Slackness and Inefficiency.

OLD SCANDALS ARE REVIVED

Voters Are Tired of Continued Scandal, Incompetence and Malfeasance Among the Officials,

attracting the attention of the intelligent voter, and it is probable that not for many years will so large a proportion of the total vote be polled as at the primary election next Thursday. Conditions of laxity, with the suggestion of slipshod methods and the suspicion of petty graft, have at last aroused the voters, and there are likely to be developments shortly, irrespective of the outcome of the political campaigns. After making due allowance for the claims of enthusiastic candidates, and few vigorous campaigns have been conducted with so little personality and mud-slinging, there still remains in the present condition of the county many things which the tax-payer wants to have explained, and some of which the voters are beginning to demand shall come to the attention of the grand jury. In some charged rather than pure graft.

Fresh Ronsted Laguyra Cotfee, per pound ... 121-2c
7 lurge bars Switt's Pride
Soap for 25c
Best Wine, Catawba and
Blackberry, per gullon ... 50c
Sugar Corn. 4 cans for ... 25c
2 lbs. Mountain Roll Butter
for 25c
5-string Broom ... 15c
Large, Juley Lemons, per doz., 15c
Good Lard, per pound ... 16c
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STORES: 1820-22 East Main Street, 508 East Marshall Street, Phones at Each Store,

"Berry's for Clothes"



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Here's a list--are you all supplied?

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Collars, Handkerchiefs,
Scarfs, Underwear, Negligee
Shirts, Pajamas, Hose, White
Vests, more Negligee Shirts.
Outing Suits, Trousers in
Flannel, Serge and Duck.
Skeleton Suits in Blue Serge.
Traveling Suits in Grey Mixtures.

tures. Nearly all reduced in price.

And above all, be sure you carry your baggage in Berry Trunks and Bags.
We've always the latest

things for travelers, and the most exclusive varieties from



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Wholesale and Retail Cash Grocers.

Fyesh Soda or Ginger Snaps, per pound, - 41-2c Half-pound can Veal Loaf, 5c Lib. can Corned Beef. 10e Potted Ham or Tongue 4e 2s. Least an Intelligate a to the office for beat a mornal of the office for the

PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD



In the fall of the past year, the com-nissioner made application for the

the board. The public, after all, has a right to know when its officials case to serve the people to the best interests, and stoop to lessen the good they might do, by resorting to methods for their individual gain.

Why the Plan Vas Adopted.

Mr. Koiner, in a statement in The Times-Dispatch, has said that he did not know why the plan was adopted, the commissioner was present at the meeting at which the plan was adopted, cach section being discussed and explained; but we take Mr. Koiner a period of eight years, covering almost his entire inchimbency of the office, has sought to bring to the family purse every dollar that he could out of the funds derived from the fertilizer tax, the income with which the department, conducts the work.

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(Another Reason)

Lower-Priced Cigars

Our "National" plan by which 2,200 Druggists buy cigars together, enables us to cut almost in half the prices prevailing outside National Cigar Stands. No middlemen handle "National" brands. The cigars of our exclusive brands come direct from the factories free of all jobbing or brokerage profits while the ordinary cigar dealer is compelled to buy through wholesalers after several profits have been added to the cost of each eigar. That is how we can

give you the same cigar quality at 7-for-25c that you have to pay 5c for elsewhere-that's why the quality sold elsewhere at 8-for-25c costs you 5c at our National Cigar Stand.



As an example of what our plan has accomplished we want you, today, to try a

Black and White Cigar, 5c

It's a blended cigar—the filler is high-grade imported Havana leaf, and the wrapper is the very best Sumatra. Just compare the BLACK-and-WHITE at 5c with the best 3-for-25c cigar you ever got anywhere else.

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RICHMOND HOMEOPATHIC PHARMACY, 501 E. Main St.

WRIGHT DRUG CO., Lombardy and Broad Sta. W. H. LANE, 385 Washington St., Petersburg, Va.

E. A. MORRISON, Sycamore and Bank Sts., Peters-burg, Vs.

tions of that law are reported to the commissioner, and the latter's instructions as to same.

It has been stated that the new plan abolishes the office of food inspector. It does not do this, but carries out the recommendations of the chief of the laboratory, that a chemist is better adapted to this work than any one eise, and could, besides, be used in analytical work at such times as his services were not required on the road. The office of pure-food inspector was not abolished; the duties have only been transferred to another man, who is a chemist, and therefore can also assist in laboratory work.

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Went Beyond His Rights.

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